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SUBJECT: EXTENSION OF NPT TO BERLIN

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1. WE APPRECIATE POSITION THAT IT WOULD BE
FEASIBLE AND DESIRABLE FOR FRG TO EXTEND EURATOM
SAFEGUARDS AGREEMENT TO BERLIN AND SHARE DESIRE FOR
FINDING RATIONALE BY WHICH FRG CAN BE ACCOMMODATED ON
QUESTION OF EXTENSION OF NPT. HOWEVER, WE ARE SOMEWHAT
LESS SANGUINE THAN REF A THAT SOVIETS, EVEN THOUGH THEY
MAY SHARE OUR BASIC DESIRE TO SEE INTERNATIONAL SAFE-
GUARDS APPLIED TO NUCLEAR MATERIAL IN THIS CITY, WOULD
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FAIL TO TAKE OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE POINTS FOR THEIR RESTRICTIVE VIEW OF FRG- WEST BERLIN TIES. ARGUMENT THAT FRG PLEDGES ON NUCLEAR WEAPONS CONTAINED IN ARTICLES 2 AND 6 OF NPT WOULD BE LESS SWEEPING THAN DEMILITARIZATION LEGISLATION IN BERLIN AND THAT FRG'S PLEDGES WOULD THEREFORE NOT AFFECT SECURITY OF BERLIN COULD WELL BE TURNED AGAINST US, INASMUCH AS FRG WOULD BE ASSERTING CERTAIN SECURITY RESPONSIBILITY FOR WEST BERLIN WHILE AT SAME TIME NOT COMMITTING ITSELF TO THE DEGREE OF DEMILITARIZATION ALLFAMILY WHILE THEY ARE TEENAGERS; THE EXPERI-

MENT IN INTERNATIONAL LIVING IS ANOTHER USEFUL PROGRAM FUNDED PRIVATELY. WE FIND THAT EVEN IN SITUATIONS WHERE THE PERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS WITH THE HOST FAMILY HAVE NOT BEEN AS GOOD AS THEY SHOULD BE, THE RETURNED INDIVIDUAL HAS ENDURING POSITIVE ATTITUDES VIS- A- VIS THE U. S. AND SOBER UNDERSTANDING OF US POLICIES AND PROBLEMS.

ANOTHER IMPORTANT FUNDING SOURCE IS THE NORWEGIAN GOVT ITSELF. YOUNG MILITARY OFFICERS ARE SENT, AT NORWEGIAN EXPENSE, TO THE U. S. FOR FLIGHT TRAINING AND FOR A VARIETY OF OTHER INSERVICE COURSES. THIS EXPERIENCE, COUPLED WITH INTERNATIONAL STAFF EXPERIENCE WHERE THEY RUB SHOULDERS WITH AMERICAN OFFICERS, IS PERHAPS ONE OF THE MOST EFFECTIVE OPINION- MOLDERS VIS THE YOUNG MILITARY OFFICER IN NORWAY, AND IT COSTS US NOTHING.

(C) PEACE CORPS: DOES NOT APPLY IN NORWAY.

IV. THE RELATIVE IMPORTANCE OF YOUTH

A. WEIGHTAGE

ON THE SCALE INDICATED, RANGING FROM " VERY HIGH" AT ONE EXTREME TO " NONE" AT THE OTHER, WE WOULD RANK YOUTH WORK AS " ABOVE AVERAGE" IN IMPORTANCE AS AGAINST OUR OTHER CONCERNS HERE IN NORWAY.

B. RATIONAL

THE NORWEGIAN POPULATION IS CHANGING. THE ATTITUDES OF NORWAY'S ELDERS, CONDITIONED BY THEIR EXPERIENCE DURING AND IMMEDIATELY AFTER WORLD WAR II, CONTINUE TO GUIDE NORWAY'S DESTINIES. WE BELIEVE, MOREOVER, THAT THE ATTITUDES OF NORWAY'S ELDERS, AS REFLECTED IN PERIODIC GALLUP POLLS, FOR INSTANCE, CONTINUE TO BE THE MOST IMPORTANT INFLUENCE ON NORWAY'S YOUNGER GENERATION WHICH DOES NOT HAVE THE DIRECT EXPERIENCE WITH WORLD WAR II AND ITS AFTERMATH. BUT THE YOUNGER GENERATION IS SUBJECT TO OTHER INFLUENCES AS WELL. ANTI- NATO, ANTI- MILITARY, AND ANTI- US ATTITUDES ARE A PART OF THE CURRENT YOUTH CULTURE AND A PRODUCT OF YOUTHFUL IMPATIENCE AND RESTLESSNESS AS WELL AS OF SLANTED TELEVISION REPORTING-- HAVING BEEN FANNED
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IN NORWAY AS A RESULT OF VIETNAM.

A FRIENDLY AND COOPERATIVE NORWAY IS VERY IMPORTANT TO OUR OWN AND NATO'S SECURITY, AND OUR MAIN TARGET AREA IN THIS RESPECT IS THE GENERATION NOW IN CONTROL, I. E. NORWAY'S ELDERS. THROUGH THESE ELDERS, AS WELL AS BY DIRECT YOUTH PROGRAMS, WE HOPE TO ENSURE A CONTINUATION OF THIS COOPERATION AND TO ENSURE THAT NORWAY'S FUTURE LEADERS SHARE AND UNDERSTAND OUR CONCERNS IN POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, AND NATIONAL SECURITY AREAS.

C. U. S. GOVERNMENT RESOURCES CURRENTLY AVAILABLE WHICH WE BELIEVE SHOULD BE EARMARKED FOR YOUTH WORK

1. PERSONNEL TIME

(A) PERSONNEL TIME THAT SHOULD BE USED FOR YOUTH WORK

14 PERCENT OF TOTAL

60 TOTAL MAN- MONTHS PER YEAR

(B) ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

40 PERCENT IN CONTACT WORK

5 PERCENT IN REPORTING

40 PERCENT IN PROGRAM WORK

5 PERCENT OTHER

(C) ALLOCATED BY AGENCY

48 PERCENT STATE

50 PERCENT USIA

2 PERCENT DOD

2. PROGRAM RESOURCES

PERCENTAGE OF CURRENTLY AVAILABLE RESOURCES WHICH SHOULD BE APPLIED TO YOUTH AND POTENTIAL FUTURE LEADERSHIP PURPOSES:

78 PERCENT OF OUR CU BUDGET

30 PERCENT OF OUR USIA BUDGET

2 PERCENT OF OUR REPRESENTATION BUDGET CROWE

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